

Resolution

HONORING THE

MONMOUTH VICINAGE OF THE NEW JERSEY JUDICIARY

as the Winner of the American Bar Association Award for the Best 2021 Outstanding Law Day Activity

WHEREAS, the Monmouth Vicinage, in partnership with the Monmouth Bar Association, held virtual and inperson celebrations marking Law Day and the "Advancing the Rule of Law Now," theme, as established by the American Bar Association; and

WHEREAS, the programming shined a light on all facets of that theme and brought together the legal community and public to create a rich experience that educated members of the bench, bar and public; and

WHEREAS, the events included art, essay and poetry contests that reached roughly 800 members of the public, including students at 24 schools and six colleges and universities; and

WHEREAS, above and beyond those programs, the Vicinage hosted keynote remarks, several webinars that examined issues such as virtual jury trials, the legacy of former Supreme Court Justice Ruth Bader Ginsburg and a livestreamed naturalization ceremony, all of which was co-sponsored by the New Jersey State Bar Foundation with funding from the IOLTA Fund of the Bar of New Jersey; and

WHEREAS, the American Bar Association found the activities deserving of the Outstanding Law Day Activity Award for its outreach to the community and for fostering meaningful conversations about the rule of law in society; and

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, the New Jersey State Bar Association Board of Trustees, along with its entire membership, recognizes nd congratulates the Monmouth Vicinage of the New Jersey Judiciary and Monmouth Bar Association for its continued success and looks forward to what more it can achieve in educating and engaging the public about the important role the judicial branch plays in our democracy.

I, Norberto Garcia, Secretary of the New Jersey State Bar Association, do hereby certify that the above is a full, true and correct copy of a resolution approved by the Board of Trustees at a regularly scheduled meeting on March 11, 2022. In witness whereof, I have hereto set my hand as such Secretary and affix the corporate seal of the New Jersey State Bar Association on this 11th day of March, 2022.

NORBERTO GARCIA

SECRETARY

NEW JERSEY STATE BAR ASSOCIATION